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SLEEP AND HOPE.

Two blessed beings our short life sustain,
No wealth can force them, and no want restrain;
Ordained by Heaven—exempt from man's control—
At once the strength and pleasure of the soul.
When wearied nature sinks, without resource,
And mind and body, failing, lose their force,
"Tis thine, O Sleep! to succor and to calm
The body's unguish and the mind's alarm,
Then, gentle Hope! immortal by thy birth,
Thou dwelt'st forever with the sons of earth:
Seafast and pure—the promise and support
Of all who seek thee or whom thou hast sought.

F. J. L. P.

*Vide "La Henraine," Chant VII.

THE SAILOR—BY CHATEAUBRIAND.

Sailors have a passion for their vessels. They weep with regret on quitting it. They cannot remain with their families, after having sworn a hundred times to expose themselves no more to the sea, they find it impossible to live away from it, like a young lover who cannot tear himself from a faithless and stormy mistress. In the docks of London and Plymouth, it is not rare to find sailors born on board ship—from their infancy to their old age, they have never seen the land but from the deck of their floating cradle—spectators of the world they have never entered. When this life narrowed to so small a space under the clouds and over the abyss, every thing is animated for the mariner; an anchor, a sail, a mast, a cannon, are the creatures of his affections, and have each their history. "That sail was shivered on the coast of Labrador—the master sailorman mended it with the piece you see—that anchor saved the vessel, when all the other anchors were lost in the midst of the coral rocks of the Sandwich Isles—that mast was broken by a hurricane off the Cape of Good Hope—it was but one single piece, but it is much stronger now that it is composed of two pieces; the cannon which you see is the only one which was not dismasted at the battle of the Chesapeake." Then the most interesting news abroad—"The log has just been thrown—the vessel is going ten knots an hour—the sky is clear at noon—an observation has been taken—they are at such a latitude—so many leagues have been made in the right direction—the needle declines, is such a degree—the sand of the glass runs badly—it threatens rain—flying-fish have been seen towards the south, the weather will become calm—the water has changed its color—pieces of wood have been seen floating by—seals, gulls and wild ducks have been seen—a little bird has perched upon the yards—is necessary to stand out to sea, for it is dangerous to approach it during the night."—Among the poultry is a favorite sacred cock, which has survived all the others—it is famous for having crowded during a battle, as if in a farm-yard in the midst of his hens. Under the deck lives a cat of tortoise-colored skin, bushy tail, long stiff moustaches, firm on its feet, and caring not for the rolling of the vessel; it has twice made a voyage round the world, and saved itself from a wreck on a cask. The cabin boys give to the cock biscuits soaked in wine; and the cat has the privilege of sleeping, when it likes, in the hammock of the first lieutenant.

The aged sailor resembles the aged laborer. The harvests are different, it is true; the sailor has led a wandering life, the laborer has never quitted his field, in ploughing their furrows; to the one, the lark, the redbreast, and nightingale—to the other, the albatross, the curlew and the kingfisher, are prophets. They retire in the evening, the one into his cabin, the other into his cottage; frail tenements, but where the hurricane which shakes them does not agitate their tranquil consciences.

In the winds tempestuous blowing,
Still no longer they desirous;
The guiltless heart, its boon bestowing,
Soothes them with its jolly.
Lullaby, &c. &c.

The sailor knows not where death will surprise him, or on what coast he will leave his life. Perhaps he will mingle his last sigh with the wind, attached to a raft to continue his voyage, perhaps he will sleep interred on a desert island, which one may never light upon again, as he slept alone in his hammock in the midst of the ocean. The vessel is itself a spectacle.—Sensible to the slightest movement of the helm, an impudent or winged cruiser, it obeys the hand of the pilot as a horse the hand of its rider. The elegance of the masts and cordages, the agility of the sailors who cluster about the yards, the different aspects in which the ship presents itself, whether it advances leaning upon the water by a contrary wind, or flies straight forward before a favorable breeze, make his scientific machine one of the wonders of the genius of man. Sometimes the waves break against its sides, and dash up the spray; sometimes the tranquil water divides without resistance before its prow. The flag, the lights, the sails, complete this palace of Neptune. The mainsails, unfurling in all their breadth, belly out like vast cylinders; the top-sails, reefed in the midst, resemble the breast of a mermaid. Animated by impetuous wind, the vessel with its keel, as with the share of the plough, furrows with a mighty noise the fields of the ocean.

PECULIARITIES OF MEN OF GENIUS.

Homer, it is said, had such an aversion to natural music, that he could never be prevailed on to walk along the banks of a murmuring brook, nevertheless, he sang his own ballads, though not in the character of a madman, as recorded by the infamous Zoilus.

Virgil was so fond of salt, that he seldom went without a box full in his pocket, which he made use of from time to time, as men of the present day use tobacco.

Zoroaster, it is said, though the most profound philosopher of his time, theoretically, was very easily put out of temper. He once carried his irritability so far as to break a marble table to pieces with a hammer, because he chanced to stumble over it in the dark.

Shakspeare, though one of the most generous of men, was a great higgler. He was often known to dispute with a shop keeper for half an hour on the matter of a penny. He gives Hotspur credit for a portion of his own disposition, when he makes him say, "I would cavil on the ninth part of a hair."

Peter Corneille, the greatest wit of his time, so far as concerns his works, was remarkably stupid in conversation, as was also Addison, who is acknowledged to have been one of the most elegant writers that ever lived.

Hondel was such a miser, that at the same time he was in receipt of fifty pounds a night from the Opera, he was frequently known to wear a shirt for a month, to save the expense of washing.

Burns never remained sober so long as he could get drunk. It was in the fits occasioned by this peculiarity, that he wrote so many of those simple doggerels for servant girls, that we frequently find attached to beautiful airs, under the title of poetry, such as *Wandering Willie*, &c.

Byron was also sadly addicted to the "malt stoup." Some of his stanzas, however, were produced under the

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influence of the jolly god. According to his servant, Peter Conroy, lately deceased in this city, a pint of brandy was his nightly allowance.

Samuel Rogers is an inveterate punster, albeit from his poetry, one might suppose him to be the gravest man in Christendom. He has one peculiarity that distinguishes him from all poets, past, present, and to come, i.e., three hundred thousand pounds.

Thomas Campbell, though an ugly man, it is said, is very vain of his personal appearance; he once discharged a servant for hinting him the propriety of getting a wig, as his hair was turning grey.

Sir Walter Scott was said to have taken no pride in the wonderful creations of his genius, at the same time that he was extremely vain of his title of sheriff of the county.

Hogg, however, is the victim of a still more unparable vanity. Whenever he is asked out to dinner, he invariably says, "I shall do ye the pleasure, and then ye will ha' it to say, that ye had the honor to sit in company with the Ettrick Shepherd, allowed on all han's to be the greatest sang writer in the world."

Earl Grey, the late premier, who is indisputably a man of genius, is so very timid that he will never sit in a room after nightfall by himself, for fear of seeing a ghost; and though he acknowledges to this, he affects to be skeptical of their existence. *Parlour Journal*.

CARSTAIRS' IMPROVED SYSTEM OF WRITING.—*Taught to all who would be* at Joy's Building, No 81 Washington street, Room No. 29.

Mr. B. WHITNEY, ever grateful for past favors, tendered his most heartfelt thanks for the liberal patronage he has received from a generous public the past winter, and solicited his continuance through the ensuing summer. Mr. W. will instruct in all the approved systems of the present day. He will instruct 12 lessons, of one hour each, in the American system, for two dollars; and will guarantee as much improvement as is made under the instruction of any other man, in the same time.

N. B.—Mr. W. does not deceive the public by hanging out the Engravings of the Royal Family of England, or specimens of Penmanship not executed by himself.

in 21 1828

REMOVAL.—*JOHN MARSH*, has removed from No 84, to the spacious store No 77 Washington street, Joy's Buildings, directly opposite State street; and having made arrangements for a regular supply of Fine English and French Stationery, and new Fancy Articles, together with the numerous Account Books, and Mr James Dyer's Fancy Goods. Work.—He intends to accommodate his patrons to every variety of articles pertaining to his line, and respectfully solicits a continuance of the very liberal patronage he has received from his friends and the public for the last ten years. eoip

LADIES' STAYS, LACES, AND AMERICAN GENTLEMAN'S SNUFF.—*Mrs. GRACE DUNLAP* and her daughter respectfully inform their friends and the public, that she has for sale, just received fresh from the manufactory, New York, that much looked for article by connoisseurs, the American Gentleman's Snuff, by large or small quantities.

Also, English Calicoes, Laces, Ladies' Stays, of high English finish and taste, which she offers upon acceptable terms, Theatre Alley. 9t 1821

NOTICE.—The subscriber respectfully informs his friends and the public in general, that he has the sole agency in this city, for selling the different kinds of Snuff sold by the late Mrs. Matthews, and which are so highly prized by all gentlemen using the same. He will have constantly on hand, the American Gentleman's best Virginia, Rappee, Irish Hay, Toast, &c. by wholesale and retail.

GEORGE SEALY, 37 Milk street, Boston.

NOTICE.—The Copartnership heretofore existing under the firm of SANBORN & GILMORE, is this day dissolved by mutual consent—the affairs of the late firm will be set by Edward J. Sanborn, who will continue the business at No 18 Dock square. EDWARD J. SANBORN, EBENZER B. GILMORE.

CHARLES ADAMS, No 175 Hanover street, has just received a prime assortment of rich and low priced Groceries, Drapery, &c. and has made up a new assortment equal to any in the city, at his shop, No 15 Court street, and continues them to the public.

H. B. trusts all who call will find his assortment equal to any in the city of Boston, and an *unassassable* term.

N. B.—H. B. has on hand a splendid assortment of Gold Lace, Fine Ground Paint Brushes, made of the best quality Russian & Prussian bristles. Also, eight hundred dozen extra fine Ground Brushes, &c. Also, gold and silver ornaments for Ladies' Head Dresses &c. 18t 1821

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MONDAY, MARCH 23, 1833.

Democrats of Charlestown.—The opponents of your principles have long been preparing for the contest which is to take place this day—they are determined to overthrow you it if possible; but, with the effort you are capable of making, you can triumph—active, prompt, energetic action, will secure to you victory, while indifference and tardiness will bring upon you mortification and defeat. Every Democrat of Charlestown should be early at work this morning—let him consider it his duty not only to attend the polls himself, but to urge his neighbor to do likewise—let him endeavor to convince those who have been deluded into the ranks of the aristocrats, of the error of their course, and induce them to support the cause of the people—the cause of equal rights. No class of people have suffered more from the power of the aristocratic monopolists than the inhabitants of Charlestown—the place that was the first to resist oppression, has felt it the most severely—let the same spirit, then, animate them *this day*, that animated their fathers on the memorable 17th of June, 1775, and the result of the contest will prove that the principles which were fought for by the soldiers of the Revolution, are yet dear to their descendants.

There was a great hubbub in the House of Representatives on Friday afternoon about the presentation of a Memorial from Charlestown, in aid of the petition praying that Warren Bridge might be made free. It appeared to stir the gaul of the monopolists most alarmingly—some of them were so bitter that they turned yellow at the apprehension of losing their guineas. A motion was made to lay the Memorial under the table; (this we took as a hint at the monopolists, supposing that they would be more likely to find it under the table, at that time in the afternoon, than upon it;) another was made by Mr Ashmun that *it be not received!* Whereupon Mr Rantoul read to the House Article XIX. of the Constitution, which is recorded in the following words:

"The People have a right, in an orderly and peaceable manner, to assemble to consult upon the common good: give instructions to their Representatives; and to request of the Legislative Body, by the way of addresses, petitions, or remonstrances, redress of the wrongs done them, and of the grievances they suffer."

But the monopolists, who live by the violation of the principles of the Constitution, could not be expected to be governed by its provisions, and accordingly the motion not to receive was carried by a vote of 176 to 103. When the Constitution was presented as a barrier to this high-handed proceeding, a Mr Endicott got up and offered, as an excuse for over-stepping it, the example of the United States Senate in rejecting the Pittsburg petition. Such are the fruits of the mad course pursued by the higher branch of our National Legislature.

The New York Gazette computes that the cost to the people of the United States, incurred by the frigate Constitution's proceeding to New York, to receive the effigy of the "greatest and best," amounts to \$3733.50. Two hundred men were received on board at that port, the cost of whose transportation to Boston would probably have cost \$400. Thus three thousand three hundred and thirty-three dollars have been actually squandered for the sole gratification of Jesse Duncan Elliott.—*Bost. Jour.*

Statements similar to the above have been generally published in the federal papers. They are all untrue. The Constitution took on board at New York about one hundred tons of provisions, ammunition, &c., which could not be reasonably procured here. And farther, the anchor and chain set down on the estimate of the Gazette as "three thousand dollars lost," was recovered at a very small expense. The transportation of the hundred tons of freight to this city, to say nothing of the delay it would have occasioned, would have cost more than the three hundred and thirty-three dollars remaining of the Gazette's estimate. The statement of the Gazette is a *federal fact*, and does not bear examination.

Judge White.—The support which the Federal party are preparing to give to Judge White, is the De Witt Clinton affair in miniature. Judge White has ably sustained the great measures of public policy, which have marked the course and given a lustre to the character of President Jackson's administration. Mr Van Buren has done the same. The difference between the two is this—Mr Van Buren adheres to his patriotic and elevated course, and Mr White, dazzled by an ambitious prospect, is preparing to prove recreant to his former principles. Apostacy seems sufficient to induce the Federal, or Whig, party to prefer Judge White—“birds of a feather,” &c.

Mr Webster's nomination to the Presidency seems to have become *fly blown* already.

Novel Salute.—The late earthquake at Omoa, (Central America) was heard at the Belize, Honduras, 200 miles distant, and was answered by a salute from the fort, supposing it proceeded from a man-of-war outside the Keys.

The new Methodist Chapel, recently erected in the Ware Bridge Village, Taunton, was dedicated on Wednesday last. Sermon by Rev. Jacob Sanborn, of Providence.

Miss Jarman's Benefit, to-night, needs "no bush"—the bill of entertainment, with the support it will receive, will be enough to fill the house. There is nobody like her this side of the "big pond."

The Committee on Trade in the Assembly of Upper Canada, have adopted resolutions to admit salt, tea, coffee, cottons, &c., duty free, from the United States.

Intelligent Mutton.—There is a sheep at a spirit dealer's in Edinburgh, that, it is affirmed, chews tobacco, takes snuff, and drinks grog!

Epigram.—Bill thinks his book has fancy shewns—It has—bill fancies it his own.—*Court Journal*.

The Small Pox has made its appearance in Keene, Raymond, and Candia, N. H.

The Prince Talleyrand passes his evenings at whisky in the Fanbourg St Germaine, with Madame J—o, and a circle of very old friends, who admit that his Excellency is as lively and entertaining as ever.

POLICE COURT.

A Venerable Vagrant.—A halo looking, but grey-headed old gentleman, calling himself *Gad Kelly*, after gadding about to every three-cent nippery in the city, and billeting himself in different watch-houses every night for a week past, waked up on Saturday morning in the anti-chamber of the Hall of Audience, where sits enthroned his Honor. How he came there he knew not, till Daniel Haskell, a watchman, told him that he had been treated to a ride in a handcart—As Gad was distinguished from ordinary men by his age, manners, and dress, being attired in a new suit of blue, almost too fashionably cut for a man 65 years of age, having also a shrewd business cock of the eye, and curl of lip, the curious among the bystanders, prodded him divers questions relative to his personal history, and extracted from him the following particulars, which, if true, the publication of them may serve to inform his friends of his present situation and whereabouts. He stated that he formerly carried on business at Spear's wharf in this city, and at one time owned no less than seven vessels, which sailed out of this port. But for the last six years has resided in Plainfield, Connecticut, though he had recently been on a visit to Bangor, Maine, from whence he came to this city, to secure some property, which he estimated to be worth \$1800, left here by his son, who died on a voyage to India five years ago.

From this statement, it would seem that Kelly is an old "man of large expectations," and like "a young man," of similar pretensions, has been revelling on the contingency of anticipated opulence. His countenance decidedly indicates good living, and steady, persevering drinking. His face being in good flesh, plump and hard, and the complexion of his cheeks of a deep purple, enveloped in a fine glossy, transparent, bladderk-like cuticle. His story being ended, his gaping auditors left him looking back through the dim vista of departed years, and musing on his past history, while they entered the court room, to hear the complaint against him, which was to form the first page of his future history. The different watchmen having stated that they "had seen him pretty well done up, and sizzled, several nights successively," a warrant of course was granted, but when the "Captain of the Day," or "First Warrant," as he is termed in Court parlance, retired to the ante-room, to "fetch him in," he found him lying on his back, struggling in the agonizing throes of a convulsive fit, and two tearless tip-staffs bending over him, and comparing the foam, bursting from his mouth, to the sea lashed into a lather, by the flurry of a whale, and the violent gusts of air blown from his distended nostrils, to the blowing of the aforesaid monarch of the deep, after a long dive.

It is not improbable that his fit was brought on by the violent emotions awakened by his gloomy retrospective of other days. At the expiration of his agony, which lasted about 45 minutes, he was duly arraigned, but was so insensible, by physical exhaustion, as to be unable to comprehend the nature of the proceedings, and his further examination was postponed, and himself conveyed to jail, where his faculties, now "in wandering mazes lost," may become in some degree composed.

[For the Boston Morning Post.]

Capital Punishment.—No. 3.—The third position advanced in the first of these numbers under the above head, was—"Human tribunals are so imperfect, that where life and death are pending, it is difficult and unsafe to decide on circumstantial evidence, or sanity or insanity of mind." The history of the Salem witchcraft corroborates this. The case of Otis, tried and convicted the past winter, as an accessory to the murder of Capt. Crosby, is another strong argument in its favor.

The following case also forcibly pourtrays human short-sightedness. In September, 1819, Stephen and Jesse Boorn were arraigned before the Supreme Court held at Mansfield, Vermont, on a charge of murder. The indictment set forth, that they, on the 10th of May, 1812, made an assault on Russell Calvin, their brother-in-law, and that Stephen struck the said Calvin a mortal blow upon the head, of which he died; and that Jesse was present, aiding and abetting. It was proved that the remains of a man had been dug out of a cellar near where the Boorns lived, some years after the disappearance of Calvin. A button was found with the bones, which was recognized by Calvin's wife to have been worn by him; also a hat, knife, &c. These circumstances were sworn to solemnly before the court. Witnesses were not wanting to magnify appearance against the prisoners. The unhappy men became strongly excited; and while the trial was pending and after it was over, made a written confession of their guilt, detailing every particular of the murder. The jury unanimously found them guilty, and they were sentenced to be hung on the 28th January, 1820. When the news of this decision arrived at Manchester, those

who still believed the prisoners innocent, immediately caused a notice to be printed in the *Kentucky Herald*.—It contained a description of Calvin's person, and desired any who could, to give information respecting him, and thereby save the life of the innocent. An answer soon appeared in the New York Evening Post, signed by Taber Chadwick, Shrewsbury, Monmouth, that the identical Russell Calvin was there. He was forthwith conducted to New York, where the public curiosity was so highly excited that the streets through which he passed were crowded. On the route to Manchester vast multitudes assembled to see him. Nothing could exceed the joy of the people of Manchester on his arrival there. The bells were rung and cannons were fired to welcome him. The Boorns were soon after exonerated of the crime of which they stood convicted, and restored to their rights and privileges. Comment on the above is unnecessary.

SQUANTUM.

The passenger cars on the Columbia Rail Road are now propelled by locomotive engines. The trip from Philadelphia to Columbia, 82 miles, is made in about six hours, and it is believed that it will soon be made in four hours.

We have pleasure in informing our readers, says the National Intelligencer, that the work on the Baltimore and Ohio Rail Road, near this city, was resumed with great spirit, and will be carried on with fresh activity.

We are indebted to Capt Sherwood, of the brig Georgia, from Savannah, for papers of that place to the evening of the 14th inst.—*Jour. Com.*

Our Correspondents must be patient for a day or two—we'll serve them up in good time.

We entirely concur in the following obituary notice of Mr HENRY BRIGGS, late of the Mechanics' News Room. He was one of the most active and industrious young men within our knowledge, and his urbanity and gentlemanly attention will not soon be forgotten by the conductors of the public press. His loss will be severely felt beyond the circle of his immediate relatives:

"In our obituary calendar of this evening, we have registered the death of Mr Henry Briggs, proprietor of the Mechanics' News Room. Mr Briggs' death terminated a brief period of only three days illness. As proprietor of a News Room, he may be spoken of by the conductors of the daily newspapers, as their contemporary, and we should do violence to our feelings if we permitted his decease to pass by unnoticed, except as a mere record. He was a young man of much moral excellence—enterprising and industrious. As the founder and vigilan conductor of a useful and long demanded public establishment, he ranks with those whose life passed not away without benefit to others, and his name will long and honorably survive the melancholy event of his death."—Transcript.

CHARITY.—Dr. Ely, in a letter to the Rev. A. C. Thomas, says—

"On the score of politeness you have the advantage of me, for you very complaisantly feel confident that I am sure of reaching heaven: you are satisfied also of the final salvation of all whom you style partialists; while I am compelled to say, that *I have personally known but a very few Universalists who were persons of good moral character*; and I verily believe there is no device of the devil so well calculated to blind men to their ruin, and harder them against all the admonitions of heavenly wisdom, as your scheme of universal holiness and happiness, resulting merely from the resurrection of the dead to a state of immortal existence."

The Doctor must have been very unfortunate in his acquaintances, for the Universalists in New England are as respectable and as moral a class of men as exist among its inhabitants.

FIFTEEN HUNDRED THOUSAND ACRES OF LAND, AND SPEECHES LONG ENOUGH TO COVER THEM.—The case of C. Mitchell and others, versus the United States, has been decided in the Supreme Court in favor of the plaintiffs. This decision confirms the title of the plaintiffs to 1,500,000 acres of land situated between the rivers St Marks and Apalachicola, Middle District, Florida. Mr White opened for the plaintiffs, and spoke one day and a half. He was replied to by Messrs Call and the Attorney General, on behalf of the United States; these gentlemen each occupied the Court for four days. The argument was closed by Mr Berrian in behalf of the plaintiffs, who spoke nearly two days in reply.

DUEL PREVENTED.—Mr Ordronaux, a gentleman residing in Duane street, appeared at the Police and begged the interference of the Magistrate in preventing an anticipated duel between two French gentlemen, who had determined to kill each other for the satisfaction of their wounded feelings. A warrant was granted against the parties, and one of them, a dealer in French goods, was arrested and held to bail to keep the peace. The other could not be found.—*N. Y. Star.*

STEAMBOAT EXPLOSION.—The Cincinnati Republic of the 9th instant states, that the steamboat Cavalier, Capt Thompson, burst one of her boilers on her passage from New Orleans up the Mississippi, about 100 miles below the mouth of the Ohio, where she now lies. Mr Patterson, the clerk, who was standing on the boiler deck, was thrown up several feet, and landed on the shore, with two ribs broken. Capt Thompson was confined to his state-room by sickness, and escaped uninjured. The 1st engineer died a few hours previous of the small pox. Several persons were injured, and we learn, two or more killed. The boat belonged to Ripley, in Ohio, owned in part by the captain and clerk—both very deserving, industrious and enterprising men. The crew have all been brought to Cincinnati, by the Wyoming, Capt Holton.

ACCIDENT.—A gentleman in passing through Purchase street this [Saturday] morning in a chaise, came accidentally in contact with a load of wood, which so frightened the horse, that he carried the chaise with much violence up Purchase street, and finally put it end to the flight by jumping into the dock, a short distance below Russia wharf. The gentleman escaped with but little injury by leaping from the chaise, which was literally broken in pieces. The horse was injured past recovery, and his remains were committed to the waves.—*Mercantile.*

THE STEAMBOAT BANGOR.—During the winter this beautiful boat has been thoroughly repaired and refitted, newly coppered and painted throughout. The cabins have been improved in several particulars, and a number of extra state rooms added to her before capacious accommodations, which, together with the fact that she is to be commanded by Capt S. H. Howes, renders her as desirable a conveyance as can be found in the United States. She will commence her trips, we understand, on Saturday next, 28th inst.—*Galaxy.*

A STEAMBOAT IS BUILT FOR THE NEW HAVEN LINE, WHICH IS EXPECTED TO ACCOMPLISH THE DISTANCE BETWEEN THAT CITY AND IN FIVE HOURS. SUCH A BOAT STARTING FROM NEW HAVEN AT 6 O'CLOCK, A. M. AND LEAVING NEW YORK AT 3, P. M. ON HER RETURN, WOULD GIVE HER PASSENGERS FOUR HOURS, ALL IN ONE DAY, WITHOUT TRESPASSING ON THEIR USUAL HOURS OF SLEEP. FURTHERMORE, SHOULD A RAILROAD BE CONSTRUCTED FROM NEW HAVEN TO WORCESTER, PASSENGERS LEAVING HERE AT 6 O'CLOCK IN THE MORNING, MIGHT ARRIVE IN BOSTON BY 6 O'CLOCK IN THE AFTERNOON OF THE SAME DAY.—*Jour. Com.*

THE BORDER WARFARE.—The Governor of Ohio has ordered out his whole staff and a detachment of troops, to escort him to the "debateable land," to which the most puissant Governor of Michigan has also repaired, with a military force to resist the forcible entry of the former dignitary.—*Albany Daily Advertiser.*

WE LEARN THAT ON TUESDAY MORNING, ABOUT 11 O'CLOCK, AN ATTEMPT WAS MADE TO DESTROY THE BALTIMORE MUSEUM, AT THE CORNER OF BALTIMORE AND CALVERT STREETS. A LIGHTED CANDLE WAS PLACED IN THE CUPOLA UNDER THE STEPS. TWO GENTLEMEN, ON GOING TO THIS PART OF THE BUILDING, DISCOVERED THE STEPS BURNING, AND BY PULLING THEM DOWN, EXTINGUISHED THE FIRE.

COMMODORE SIMONSON, OF STANLEY ISLAND, THE WELL-KNOWN FISHERMAN, CAUGHT A SHAD YESTERDAY MORNING. IT IS THE FIRST THIS SEASON. IT WAS SOLD FOR \$3.—*Jour. Com. of Friday.*

THE ATLAS IS CHUCKLING MERRILY AT THE EXCITABILITY OF THE VANITY OF JUDGE WHITE AND SOME OF HIS FRIENDS. WE WOULD CAUTION THE PUBLIC AGAINST BELIEVING ONE TENTH PART OF WHAT NOTORIOUS PRINT SAYS UPON THE SUBJECT OF HIS NOMINATION, DID WE DEEM IT POSSIBLE FOR ANY ONE POSSESSED OF A THIMBLE FULL OF COMMON SENSE AND DISCREMENCE TO BE DECEIVED BY SUCH UNPRINCIPLED MANEUVERING. WE REPEAT OUR PREDICTION, WITH INCREASED CONFIDENCE IN ITS TRUTH, THAT NO MANEUVERING OF THE OPPOSITION CAN POSSIBLY DEFEAT THE CANDIDATE FOR THE PRESIDENCY WHO MAY BE PUT IN NOMINATION BY THE NATIONAL DEMOCRATIC REPUBLICAN CONVENTION. THE DEMOCRATS OF AMERICA ARE NOT TO BE DIVIDED AND PARALYZED BY THE TRICKS OF POLITICAL GAMBLERS. WE ALIUD TO THE LEADERS OF THE OPPOSITION TO THE PRESENT POPULAR ADMINISTRATION.—*Essex Banner.*

WE ARE INDEBTED TO CAPT SHERWOOD, OF THE BRIG GEORGIA, FROM SAVANNAH, FOR PAPERS OF THAT PLACE TO THE EVENING OF THE 14TH INST.—*Jour. Com.*

OUR CORRESPONDENTS MUST BE PATIENT FOR A DAY OR TWO—WE'LL SERVE THEM UP IN GOOD TIME.

MASSACHUSETTS LEGISLATURE.

Saturday, March 21.—In the House, being private business day, nothing of special importance transpired. Sandry petitions presented and referred; resolves passed in concurrence; bills reported, and bills passed to a 3d reading.

Bills in addition to an act to establish a Fire Department in Duxbury; to incorporate the Baptist Society in Salem; the New England Glass Company; the proprietors of Mount Auburn Cemetery; the Berkshire Cotton Company; the Second Congregational Parish in Cohasset; the Fall River Mill Road Railroad Company; the Boston Hydraulic Duck Company; the Lewis Wharf Company; to repeat an act incorporating Mount Carmel Lodge; to change the name of the First Presbyterian Society in Milbury; to incorporate the Fuller Ministerial Fund in Plymouth; the Park street Congregational Society; to authorize the erection of a bridge in Westport; to incorporate the Suffolk India Rubber Company;—severally passed to be engrossed, in consequence.

In the Senate, bills reported to incorporate the proprietors of the Middlesex High School; to alter the dividing line between the towns of Oxford and Charlton; to continue in force an act concerning Warren Bridge; to authorize the Boston and Lowell Railroad Corporation to increase their capital stock; to incorporate the City Manufacturing Company.

Leave granted to withdraw on sundry petitions; also several referred to the next General Court.—*Trans.*

THE BEAUTIES OF LAW.—A case was tried at the Common Pleas in Concord last week, which is worthy of record. It was a case of trespass, admitted by all parties to be unintentional. The plaintiff declared that the defendant eleven or twelve years ago, cut 11 pine, and 2 oak trees on plaintiff's ground, and therefore he claimed as damages the sum of twenty-five dollars. The case was entered, continued three times, and finally disposed of last week. It occupied the time and attention of the Court and Jury almost a whole day; three gentlemen, learned in the law, having been engaged, that through their exertions justice might be done. The jury at last brought in a verdict in favor of plaintiff, and assessed damages in the sum of nine dollars and forty-one cents. If the plaintiff is gratified at this result, he must be easily pleased. His ledger would probably show entries something like the following—the debt side:—

"By expenses attending suit, \$100.00"
On the credit side:—
"By verdict, \$9.44"
"By gratification of spleen, \$90.59."
Concord Gaz.

DEATH OF SEXTON IN THE MIDST OF HIS VOCATION.—The Stamford, Conn. Sentinel, has the following paragraph:—

"We are informed that on the 10th instant, Jonathan Finch, at North Castle, Westchester co., N. Y., was called upon to open a grave for one of his neighbors.—While engaged in the labor, he made a casual remark to the person who went to point out the spot for the grave, that he did not feel very well. He was advised to give up the undertaking, but thought he should be able to accomplish it, and his guide went away, leaving him at work. Soon after, another person went to the grave yard, found the grave about half open, and Mr Finch lying in it, struggling with the last agonies of death, and before he succeeded in removing him to the house, he was a corpse."

The Louisville papers are still engaged at their cut and thrust contest. They daily give each other a dose of three or four lines in extent, according to the Homopatric principles of infinitesimal quantities, being more potent in their operation. The following is the latest:—*Noah.*

"Passengers from New Orleans inform us, that a report of our death has been prevalent in that city. The whole story is a mistake. It's the editor of the Advertiser that's dead—and he is only dead drunk."

The Salem Landmark, a paper that has already been the cause of several assaults, law-suits and broken heads, by its violent language while advocating the cause of temperance, is now engaged in an attempt to annihilate the use of tobacco—speaking of the impropriety of its use by clergymen, it remarks:—

"WHAT A SPLENDID FIGURE THE APOSTLE PAUL WOULD HAVE MADE, HAD HE GONE ABOUT TO PROCLAIM THE SUBLIME TRUTHS OF CHRISTIANITY, WITH A QUID OF TOBACCO AND A LONG NINE IN HIS MOUTH."

STEAM BY ANTHRACITE COAL.—The

PASSAGE FROM IRELAND TO BOSTON, BY THE LIVERPOOL.

The subscribers, in order to afford facilities to those residing in Boston and its vicinity, who wish to send for their relations and friends to Ireland, and in order to insure to them a safe and expeditious passage to Boston direct, have sent on Mr JAMES D. ROCHE, or their House to make the necessary arrangements for a conveyance in good American ships, sailing from Liverpool weekly.—JAMES D. ROCHE will hold his office for a few weeks at Mr P. CONNELLY's Room, No 10 Hamilton street, Federal street, until the necessary arrangements are made for their Agent, Mr P. CONNELLY, No 3 Hamilton street, Boston.

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ROBINSON BROTHERS, Liverpool,
The Messrs ROBINSONS & CO, Dublin.

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FOR CALCUTTA, TO RETURN TO BOSTON.

A vessel will be dispatched for the above port on the 1st of May, to touch at Madras on her outward passage; J. J. DIXWELL, Supercargo—for freight or passage outward, or investment of funds and return freight, apply to WM GODDARD & SON, No 49 Central wharf, or to the Supercargo.

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FOR AUX CAVES.

The fine brig CHATHAM, for freight of 100 barrels, or passage, Apply to D. DRAPER, 9 Market square, March 20

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FOR FREIGHT OR CHARTER.

A first rate coppered and copper fastened ship, of 393 tons register, is expected to arrive at this port in about ten days, and will be in fine order for a voyage to any part of the world. Apply to F. E. WHITE, 22 Long wharf.

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VESSEL WANTED.—Wanted on Charter,

for a pleasant voyage of about 4 months, a Brig, of 200 tons burthen—apply to KENDALL & KINGSBURY, 17 India wharf.

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WANTED—A huckster in this city,

A man in a public house,
A man in a private family,
Several young men in families—apply to WM LEWIS, Jr, 56 Brattle st.

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PARTNER WANTED.—In a dry good store—with a small capital of \$300 or \$500—or more if convenient—in a safe and good business—apply to WM LEWIS Jr, 56 Brattle st.

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NATHANIEL P. SNELLING respectfully gives notice to his friends and the public generally, that he is now prepared to execute any orders in the line of his profession at the shortest notice and in the most workmanlike manner, having made extensive alterations by the addition of the tools adjoining, and other improvements, which will enable him to conduct a genteel Tailor's Establishment on the most extensive scale, and by strict attention to his calling, at least to merit a share of public patronage. Having made arrangements with Merchant Tailors in New York and Philadelphia to transit immediately on arrival the London Fashions, which will enable gentlemen to furni-th themselves in the first style, and sooner than can be procured in any other establishment in this city.

N. P. S. has just received from New York a splendid assortment of Cloths, Cassimeres, and Fancy Vesting. Gentlemen are requested to call and examine for themselves, particularly some splendid Cloths and London Quiltings.

N. P. S. continues the agency of Tailors' Chalk, an article well known by the trade as being well adapted to drawing lines on stuffs, and is easily erased.

Also, a large assortment of Tape Measures, some of them first rate article, which is much wanted by the trade in general.

Orders for any of the above will be promptly attended to if addressed to NATHANIEL P. SNELLING, Nos 10 & 12 Congress street, Boston.

ST. JOHNS, PORTO RICO.—CASIMIRO DE CA PETILLO and JOHN O'KELLY, having united their establishments in St. Johns, P. R., will transact Commission Business under the firm of CAPEITLLA & O'KELLY.

Reference—MESSRS B. C. CLARK & CO, BOSTON,
MOLLER & OPPENHEIMER, NEW YORK,
LAWSON & BRICE, Baltimore.

Porto Rico, Nov 1, 1834.

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HOUSE IN BROOKLINE.—For sale, a desirable residence in Brookline, distant four miles from Boston, over the Tremont road, and combines many local advantages, affording every facility to market, schools, churches, and in a good neighborhood.

The house is nearly new, built in a neat, substantial manner, in the modern style—is well adapted for Winter or Summer residence, combining all the ordinary conveniences of woodhouse, stable, &c, and excellent water. The land is of the best quality, being about three-fourths of an acre. For further particulars, apply to JAMES LEEDS, JR, & CO, 15 Long wharf.

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HOUSE FOR SALE.—For sale, a modern built Dwelling House in South Boston, well finished in good style, and usual conveniences; good well of water and cistern, and very pleasantly situated—for further particulars, apply to SOLON JENKINS, Arch wharf.

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FOR SALE—A genteel 4 story brick House, built in modern style, situated in the vicinity of Pearl street, containing basement room and kitchen, 2 parlors and 9 chambers—good water of both kinds. Price \$7000—terms easy. Inquire at this office.

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HATS, CAPS, GLOVES AND UMBRELLAS, WILLIAM BRADY, No 34 Washington street, manufactures and keeps constantly on hand.

Gentlemen's superfine Castor Hats—Gentleman's Beaver, Satin Beaver, and common Napit Hats—a great variety of patterns.

Gentlemen's, youths' and children's Fur, India Rubber, Cloth, Leather and Velvet Caps—all the newest patterns.

Gentlemen's Fur lined, Buck skin, Castor, Seal skin, Kid and Berlin Gloves.

Italian, Sinchaw, Gingham and Cotton Umbrellas.

Ladies' Muffs, Tippets, Boas, Capes, Pelieres and Neck Ties.

The above articles will be sold very low, at wholesale or retail, for Cash, and that only.

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FOR SALE OR TO LET—if applied for soon—a complete and SPLENID PANORAMA, representing a variety of new subjects and historical facts, taken from the late interesting events in Europe, and painted by the most celebrated artists of Italy, Russia, Germany and France. Inquire at the BEDDING WARE ROOMS, corner of Siem and Pond streets—where may be had Feather Beds, Mattresses, Cushions &c. of the best materials and workmanship, at the lowest prices for cash.

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BRANDY, GIN & WINES.—55 pipes and halves Cognac Brandy, "Pellevoisin" brand, now landing per brig Billow, from Rochelle.

15 pipes Holland Gin—Weep brand.

Pipes, halves and qrs Brown and Pale Sherry, St Lucia, Port, Sicily Madeira, and Colombar Wines—for sale by JAMES LEEDS, JR, & CO, 18 Long wharf.

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NEW CARPETINGS.—BALLARD & PRINCE, No 168 Washington street, have just received by the late arrivals from England a very handsome assortment of CARPETINGS—consisting of Brussels, Three-Ply, Superfine, and Fine Kidminster, Carpetings, Stair Carpetings, and an extensive variety of Heart Rug of all kinds.

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CIDER.—330 bars Refined Cider, a very superior article for bottling, for sale by HOLBROOK & MOODY, No 218 Ann st, corner of Sun Court st.

Also for sale, a quantity of Bottled Cider, as above.

12 Cider delivered to any part of the city free of expense.

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WANTED—By the subscriber, two first rate Finishers of Morocco, and one Finisher of Kid, to whom steady employ will be given. Apply at store No 34 North Market street.

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BOSTON AND WORCESTER RAIL ROAD.—To ensure regularity, it is essentially necessary that persons sending goods per rail road, should send with their goods a memorandum, stating the consigner's or consignee's name and residence, and the merchandise sent.

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THE FULTON (late Winnimmett) BANK, is removed to the room formerly occupied by the Merchants' Bank, No 87 State street.

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LIQUED OIL—WHITE LEAD—20 bars Dutch Oil—White Lead dry, and ground in oil, of Philadelphia manufacture—just received, for sale on reasonable terms, by WILLIAM WARD, 26 and 27 India street.

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PUMICE STONE—SQUILLS.—30 tons Pumice Stone—14 bags Squills—for sale low to close an account by ALFRED GREENOUGH, 10 India wharf.

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\$10 FOR HEAVY PETERSHAM COATS.—With for colors, and well lined. For sale by CHARLES ANDRE, Broad street, opposite Fort Hill wharf.

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MANSION HOUSE.—CHARLESTOWN SQUARE—CHARLESTOWN MASS.

The subscriber would respectfully give notice to his friends in the public that he has opened the above house, situated on the south side of the Square in Charlestown, corner of Warren Avenue. Said house is very centrally and pleasantly situated—has been recently fitted up, enlarged and newly furnished throughout—and is in every respect well calculated for the accommodation of BOARDERS, VISITORS and PARTIES.

Parties and SOCIETIES will be furnished with Diners, Suppers or Entertainments, with promptness and in good style.

Gentlemen doing business in Boston in want of a pleasant, airy and central boarding place, will find the above at a convenient distance from the centre of business, and every thing arranged to their satisfaction. GORHAM BIGELOW, Charlestown, Feb 21, 1835.

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JUST RECEIVED, AND FOR SALE BY J. & J. DUNCKLEMAN.

50 qr casks New York Dry Wine,
50 tubs prime Butter,
200 reams wrapping Paper.

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TREMONT THEATRE.

The time of rising the curtain is altered to 7 o'clock. For the Benefit of Miss F. JARMAN, and her last appearance before the public, will be given on Mr JAMES D. ROCHE, or their House to make the necessary arrangements for a conveyance in good American ships, sailing from Liverpool weekly.—JAMES D. ROCHE will hold his office for a few weeks at Mr P. CONNELLY's Room, 10 Hamilton street, Federal street, until the necessary arrangements are made for their Agent, Mr P. CONNELLY, No 3 Hamilton street, Boston.

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ANOTHER PIECE OF WILLIAM VANS.—

A writer in the Morning Post of this date who calls himself a friend to Justice, undertakes to say that he has seen a document which Mr. Vans's own counsel admits does not exist. In the same document in respect to which the *fabricated certificate* has been exposed, This anonymous writer wishes the judgment made publick. He has been already informed that it is actually in use with other documents. He adds that as Mr. Vans *only seeks a trial by jury*, it seems him that no such judgment exists the counsel for the heirs of John Codman might no longer oppose the granting of Mr. Vans's petition—because the trial will settle this question immediately. As if this were the question, and the whole question, or even the main question, upon which the jury are to judge!

This is but a repetition of the cry of William Vans, "Go to a jury," says he in all his recent publications—"Go to a jury"—but it does not say that John Codman was a copartner in Richard Codman in his *transactions with me*, then will I consideration of my claims forever.

Mr. Vans has various times proposed various conditions upon the performance of which he has promised to abstain from further persecuting the heirs of John Codman. But no sooner is a condition performed than some new pretext arises, and new terms of abandonment are proposed. His last proposal is in a supposed claim of said Vans, on the estates of John Codman and Richard Codman deceased, or either of them? If yes, state particularly what the contract, bargain or agreement was, and produce any writing in your possession relative thereto.

ANSWER. I once paid said Vans one dollar, for which he gave me a receipt or note, promising to pay me twenty dollars upon his recovery of five hundred thousand dollars from the executor and heirs of John and Richard Codman. The following is a true copy of said paper—

"RECEIVED OF ARTEMAS WARD ONE DOLLAR, TO PAY HIM TWENTY DOLLARS, WHEN I RECOVER JOHN AND RICHARD CODMAN FIVE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS, AND IN THAT PROPORTION ON WHAT I DO RECOVER AND RECEIVE."

Boston, 8 Aug. 1831. WILLIAM VANS."

The said receipt or certificate was written by said Vans at the time when he recovered, and was then subscribed by him. The paper now produced antedates him, from which the foregoing is copied, is the original document subscribed by said Vans.

SECOND INTERROGATORY. Do you know or have you heard of any other person or persons with whom said Vans has made or offered to make agreements of a similar character? If yes, name them particularly.

ANSWER. I have frequently heard said Vans offer to sell his stock—his usual price was one dollar for ten dollars of stock, but I don't recollect any instance of his making a bargain.

Mr. Vans told me that my former partner, Mr. William Vides had a certificate similar to the one which I hold. I can't recollect distinctly any person to whom I have heard Vans offer stock. I have heard him offer it to several as they have been dropping into our store, but I can't tell who they were.

(Signed) ARTEMAS WARD.

LIST OF LETTERS remaining in the Post Office,

Cambridge, Mass., March 29, 1832.
Atkinson John
Ayer Matilda
Allen Isaac
Brewer Nath'l
Burman
Bigelow Abraham
Blaisell Sarah
Banton Sam'l S
Beal Cyrus R
Bailey Cephas
Blaisell Jas
Bull Ewd
Brackett Eliza
Bridge Benj
Bignall Barnard
Bissell Lewis H
Bishop Mary Ann
Clark H. A.
Campbell Elizabeth
Coville Levi F
Carrie Dongald
Hornor Marion
Nutter Jas B
Japp Amasa
Cutler Rebecca P
Currier Chas
Chapman Ewd R
Dodge Jas J
Camp Am
Chamberlain Abial
Clapp & Hedge
Clynts Wm
Cox Clarissa E
Davis Matilda M
Dascomb Danl
Draper Lois
Demitt Alvin B
Dixie Mather
Downing John
Dome Theophilus
Edwards A
Elsworth Jona
Elery Ann
Ford Jona W
Fuller Wm
Fogg Rebecca
Finsell Jas V
Foster Alex'r
Foster John P
Frost Henry
Foster Robt
Ford Thos
Gorham mr
Gunnison A
Gove Sarah
Goss Lester W
Gordon Mary A
Goodhue John N
Green Penruy
Holbrook H G
Holbrook S W
Hollis Josiah
Houghton Abigail J
Hitching Benj G
Howes Wm B
Hoyt Horace S
Healy John
Hastings Sam'l
Hammond Nathan
Hill Chs
Hayes Gilbert
Holmes Opheas
Hyde The
Ivring Agigail
Jackson Sam'l J
Johnson Ruth
Jewett Henry J
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SAMUEL NEWELL, Postmaster.

CHELSEA HOUSE.

The subscriber would inform his friends and the public generally, that he has removed from the Fire Department Hotel, South Boston, and taken up his residence in the well known establishment, lately occupied by Mr. James Bridge, where he will continue by his best exertions to entertain all those who may favor him with their patronage.

The house is too well known to need a description—it being one of the most pleasant and fashionable places of resort within the vicinity of Boston.

The Lander will be constantly provided with the luxuries of the house.

All kinds of Fish served up in the best style and to the entire satisfaction.

No pains or expense will be spared to render this establishment an agreeable retreat.

N. B.—Parties and Societies will be furnished with Dinners, Suppers &c, with despatch and in the best style.

Particular attention will be paid to the Stable connected with the establishment, and for all those who travel for business or pleasure, it will be found particularly convenient.

Chelsea, March 14, 1832. READ TAFT.

HOWARD HOUSE.

HOWARD STREET.

The subscriber respectfully informs his friends and the public, that he has taken that well known and extensive establishment, formerly occupied by the late Mr. WILLIAM GALLAGHER. He hopes by strict attention and a desire to please, to merit a share of patronage from the public which was bestowed upon his predecessor.

The House is situated in the most central part of the city, and contiguous to the Post Office and other public buildings, has been fitted up in a neat and genteel style—the rooms airy and retired. The Lander will at all times be provided with every delicacy the season will afford.

Parties wishing to be provided with entertainment for any number of persons, can be accommodated at the shortest notice.

A few single gentlemen can be accommodated with board, JAMES RYAN.

FRANKLIN RESTORATOR,

Wilson's Lane, rear of the U. S. Branch Bank, four doors from State street.

The subscriber respectfully informs his friends and the public that he continues the above establishment, and in addition to the apartments heretofore occupied, has leased the rooms formerly known as the Mechanics' Business Room, under the Mechanics' Exchange Reading Room. This is a room divided into three apartments, viz—a large and spacious HALL, SITTING ROOM, and Bed Room, furnished with every kind of Refreshment, except the exception of Ardent Spirits.)

At this Restorator may be had the choicest VIANDS and WINES of the most approved quality. Dinners and Suppers served up as usual, and the luxuries of Fish, Fles, and Fowl, prepared in all forms of Cookery, and served at any hour in the day. Soups Every Day.

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Clubs, Parties, Engine and Military Companies, will always find the best accommodations, and at the shortest notice.

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EVEN'R KENFIELD.

ANOTHER PIECE OF WILLIAM VANS.—

I, Artemas Ward, of Boston, in the County of Suffolk and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, merchant, formerly of Southwark, in the County of Margravine of Kent, in said Commonwealth, do solemnly swear and say, in answer to interrogatories proposed to me as follows:

Interrogatories proposed by William H. Gardner, Esq. counsel for Stephen Codman of said Boston, Executor of the last will and testament of John Codman, deceased, and also Administrator of the estate of Richard Codman.

First Interrogatory.—Has or has not William Vans at any time interdicted or set you an interest in a supposed claim of said Van's against the Estate of John Codman and Richard Codman, deceased, or either of them? If yes, state particularly what passed between you.

Answer.—Van's has some two or three times, I can't distinctly recollect which, invited me to take stock in his claim against the Codmans, (I believe that is the term he used) for twenty dollars he paid to the holder of the certificate upon the recovery of one hundred thousand dollars, or in proportion to the sum which might be recovered. As to any particular conversation that passed between us, I cannot state any thing except that he was urgent to have me take some of the stock, to help a poor fellow along, as he said, till he could get some.

Second Interrogatory.—Do you know or have you heard of any person or persons to whom said Vans has sold or proposed to sell an interest in said supposed claim?

Answer.—I have seen a certificate purporting to be signed by said Vans, and I have been told by Mr. Artemas Ward of this city, recently of the firm of Ward & Wilcox, in North Washington Street, that he, or his partner, I can't distinctly say Mr. Ward's son, I think. Said Vans has also offered to sell his stock to me, and Lyman Farwell of this city. I do not personally know of any person offering his stock to any other persons. I have heard of his offering his stock to my neighbors Thayer & Bates, I am not certain whether it was a man or a woman, and one of the stock. The certificate purporting to be signed by said Vans, a few weeks ago, I understand, was given to me, and I have heard of his offering his stock to my neighbors Thayer & Bates, I am not certain whether it was a man or a woman, and one of the stock. 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